

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT**

Police – Mercy Petition of Sri P. Somasekhar, formerly S.I. of Police, Rayavaram P.S. East Godavari District against the punishment “PPI for one year without cumulative effect” – Punishment set aside – Orders – Issued.

HOME (SERVICES-II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 161

**Dated: 10-02-2015
Read the following:-**

- 1 From Sri P. Somasekhar, formerly S.I. of Police, Rayavaram P.S. East Godavari District. Dt. 24.01.2012
2. Govt.Memo.No.2542/Ser.II/A3/2012, dt. 02.02.2012.
3. From the D.G.P., A.P., Hyderabad, Lr.Rc.No.336 /Appeal-3/2012, dated: 20-11-2012.

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ORDER:

In the reference 1st read above, Sri Pitta Somasekhar, Inspector of Police (Civil), East Godavari District formerly S.I. of Police while enclosing the orders dated 19.01.2012 of Hon’ble APAT in O.A.No.182 of 2012 filed by him has requested the Government to set aside the punishment of “PPI for one year with out cumulative effect”.

2. In the reference 3rd read above,, the Director General of Police, A.P., Hyderabad has stated that Sri Pitta Somasekhar, Inspector of Police (Civil), East Godavari District, was given a charge under Rule-22 of A.P.C.S.(CC&A) Rules, 1991 (Minor Penalty) for the following delinquency:-

“Kept one recovered number less Luna moped in the P.S. without any record and sent out the criminal without taking any proper action by taking bribe of Rs.5000/- and thereby exhibited gross neglect of duty by not registering a case under appropriate section of law and left away the criminal without taking any action”.

3. The Superintendent of Police, East Godavari District, duly following the procedure prescribed in the A.P.C.S.(CC&A) Rules, 1991, awarded the punishment of “PPI for one year without cumulative effect”, in Proceedings C.No.377/PR/1995, dated: 02-09-1997.

4. His appeal petition was considered and rejected by the Appellate Authority i.e. the D.I.G, Eluru Range, Eluru, in Proceedings C.No.176 /Appeal-3/ 2000, dated: 13-11-2000.

5. His revision petition was considered and rejected by the Revisional Authority i.e. the Addl. Director General of Police (Admn.), Hyderabad, in Proceedings No.741/Appeal-2/2004, dated: 31-08-2004. His mercy petition was rejected by the Govt. in Memo No.27846/ Ser.II/2005-2, dated: 03-03-2006

6. Further, his mercy petition against 2 penalties i.e., (1) “PPI for one year without effect on future increments and pension” (377/PR/1995) and (2) “PPI for one year with effect” (3/PR/1998) (modified vide G.O.Rt.No.480, Home, dt.14-3-2006) was rejected by the Govt. in Memo No.37254/Ser.II/A2/2008-4, dated; 26-06-2010.

7. Aggrieved with the above orders, the individual filed an OA No.182/2012 and the Hon’ble APAT in its orders dated 19-01-2012 while suspending the impugned Memo No.37254/Ser.II/A2/2008-4, dated: 26-06-2010 issued by the Government has directed the Government to pass a detailed and reasoned order, after considering the grounds raised by the applicant.

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8. After careful examination of the matter, with the records made available, duly taking the representation of the individual into consideration, Government hereby set aside the punishment of PPI for one year without cumulative effect", imposed on Sri Pitta Somasekhar, Inspector of Police (Civil), East Godavari District

9. The Director General of Police, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad is requested to take necessary further action accordingly in the matter. The records received through the letter 3rd cited, are returned herewith and receipt of the same should be acknowledged.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

Dr.B. PRASADA RAO
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Director General of Police,
Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad (with records).
Copy to:- The individual concerned
(through D.G.P., A.P., Hyderabad)
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// FORWARDED :: BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER